

# INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT BY APPLICANT

(Not for submission under 37 CFR 1.99)

Application Number	10/568,711
Filing Date	February 17, 2006
First Named Inventor	Hidenori URATA
Art Unit	1611
Examiner Name	Joseph S. Kudla
Attorney Docket Number	Q93208

## U.S. PATENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No	Patent Number	Kind Code <sup>1</sup>	Issue Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1					

## U.S. PATENT APPLICATION PUBLICATIONS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No	Publication Number	Kind Code <sup>1</sup>	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear
	1					

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No	Foreign Document Number <sup>2</sup>	Country Code <sup>3</sup>	Kind Code <sup>4</sup>	Publication Date	Name of Patentee or Applicant of cited Document	Pages, Columns, Lines, Where Relevant Passages or Relevant Figures Appear	T <sup>5</sup>
/K.P./	1	2001114699	JP	A	2001-04-24	Sanlen Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.		
/K.P./	2	2002138054	JP	A	2002-05-14	Takeda Chemical Industries, Ltd.		
/K.P./	3	0010605	WO	A2	2000-03-02	Senju Pharmaceutical Co., Ltd.		
/K.P./	4	0162292	WO	A1	2001-08-30	Suntory Ltd.		

## NON-PATENT LITERATURE DOCUMENTS

Examiner Initials*	Cite No	Include name of the author (in CAPITAL LETTERS), title of the article (when appropriate), title of the item (book, magazine, journal, serial, symposium, catalog, etc.), date, page(s), volume-issue number(s), publisher, city, and/or country where published.	T <sup>5</sup>
/K.P./	1	HIDENORI URATA, "A II Sansei Kei to sono Yokuseiho, Ketsuatsu", Vol. 9(8), pp. 763-768, 2002	
/K.P./	2	NAOHISA ODA, et al., "Shizen Hassho Tonyobyō Rat (OLETF Rat) no Totaisha Shogai ni Taisuru ACE Sogaizai no Koka", Nichi Nibunpitsu Kaishi, Vol. 73(3), pp. 487-493, 1997	
/K.P./	3	KAZUKI IZUMI, et al., "ACE Sogaikyoku ni yoru Insulin Teikosei Kaizen no Mechanism", Endocrinology & Diabetology, Vol. 12(4), pp. 391-397, 2001	
/K.P./	4	REMME, W.J., "Prevention of Worsening Heart Failure: Future Focus.", European Heart Journal, 1998 Feb.; 19 Suppl B:B47-B53 [Abstract Only]	
/K.P./	5	American Heart Association (AHA), "The Causes of Heart Failure", [Online], October 2007. [Retrieved on 2007-11-18]. Retrieved from the Internet: <URL: <a href="http://www.americanheart.org/presenter.html?id=324">http://www.americanheart.org/presenter.html?id=324</a> >	
/K.P./	6	DiPiro et al., "Treatment of Chronic Congestive Heart Failure", Pharmacotherapy: A Pathophysiologic Approach, Elsevier, 1989, pp. 124-141	

## EXAMINER SIGNATURE

Examiner Signature	/Kyle Purdy/	Date Considered	02/23/2009
--------------------	--------------	-----------------	------------

\*EXAMINER: Initial if reference considered, whether or not citation is in conformance with MPEP 809. Draw line through a citation if not in conformance and not considered. Include copy of this form with next communication to applicant.

1 See Kind Codes of USPTO Patent Documents at [www.USPTO.GOV](http://www.USPTO.GOV) or MPEP 901.04. 2 Enter office that issued the document, by the two-letter code (WIPO Standard ST.3). 3 For Japanese patent documents, the indication of the year of the reign of the Emperor must precede the serial number of the patent document. 4 Kind of document by the appropriate symbols as indicated on the document under WIPO Standard ST.16 if possible. 5 Applicant is to place a check mark here if English language translation is attached.